

Knox County Circuit Court March Term

Eighteen hundred and Twenty two

State of Indiana

To Wit

Knox County

Joseph Huffman a man of colour complains
Of Polly Strong a woman of colour in custody etc. of a plea of Trespass on the case, For
that whereas the said Polly Strong heretofore, To wit on the Twenty sixth day of February
in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and Twenty Two, at Vincennes in the
County of Knox, State of Indiana, and within the Jurisdiction of this court, was indebted
to the said Joseph Huffman in the Sum of One hundred and Eighteen dollars and twenty
seven cents and one half of a cent, of good and Lawful money of the United States, for so
much money, by the said Joseph Huffman, before that time Lent and advanced to the said
Polly Strong at her special instance and Request, and being so indebted she the said Polly
Strong in consideration thereof afterwards, to wit on the day and year last aforesaid at
Vincennes aforesaid, in the County, State and within the Jurisdiction aforesaid undertook
and then and there faithfully promised the said Joseph Huffman to pay him the last
mentioned sum of money, when she the said Polly Strong should be thereunto afterwards
requested.

And whereas also the Said Polly Strong afterward, to wit, this day
and year last aforesaid at Vincennes aforesaid

in the County, State and within the Jurisdiction aforesaid, was indebted to the said Joseph Huffman in the further issue of One hundred and Eighteen dollars, and seventy seven cents and one half of a cent of like Lawful money, for so much money by the said Joseph Huffman before that time paid Said out and expended, to and for the use of the said Polly Strong at her like special instance and request. And being so indebted she the said Polly Strong in consideration thereof afterwards, To wit on the day and year last aforesaid, at Vincennes aforesaid in the county, State and within the Jurisdiction aforesaid undertook and then and there faithfully promised the Said Joseph Huffman to pay him the last mentioned sum of money, when she the Said Polly Strong should be thereunto afterwards requested. Never the less the said Polly Strong not regarding her said several promises and undertakings, but contriving and fraudulently intending, craftily and subtly to deceive and defraud the said Joseph Huffman, in this behalf, hath not as yet paid the said several sums of money or any, or either of them, or any part thereof, to the said Joseph Huffman, although often requested, so to do. But the said Polly Strong to pay him the same

hath hitherto wholly refused and neglected and still doth refuse and neglect.

To the Damage of the said Joseph Huffman,
a man of colour of Two hundred dollars and therefore he brings his suit, and there are
pledges of Prosecution, To wit.

John Dod

Recd Roe

G.R.C. Sullivan

Def. Atty 2 March 1822

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vs.

Narration

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